

Labor Market Participation

- The TENCO WIA labor market participation rate, 56.1% of persons 16+ were in the labor force in 1999, is lower than that of Kentucky (60.9%), as well as the United States' rate (63.9%)
- Labor market participation ranged from 50.8% in Lewis County to 63.9% in Bracken County.
- Males were more likely to be in the labor force than females. In the TENCO WIA, 63.0% of males participated in the labor force versus 49.6% of females.
- 99.9% of the labor force in the TENCO WIA in 1999 was civilian.

Employment Status for the Population 16+ by Gender - TENCO

	United States	Kentucky	TENCO	Bath	Boyd	Bracken	Fleming	Greenup	Lewis	Mason	Montgomery	Robertson	Rowan
Total:	217,168,077	3,161,542	157,197	8,743	40,349	6,395	10,730	29,201	10,981	13,198	17,618	1,789	18,193
Male:	104,982,282	1,523,013	75,605	4,261	19,530	3,110	5,192	13,818	5,404	6,295	8,396	856	8,743
In labor force:	74,273,203	1,035,018	47,648	2,598	11,556	2,243	3,575	8,439	3,150	4,402	5,752	526	5,407
In Armed Forces	987,898	17,475	115	21	42	0	5	15	5	3	0	0	24
Civilian:	73,285,305	1,017,543	47,533	2,577	11,514	2,243	3,570	8,424	3,145	4,399	5,752	526	5,383
Employed	69,091,443	959,596	44,139	2,455	10,609	2,163	3,363	7,756	2,798	4,109	5,386	502	4,998
Unemployed	4,193,862	57,947	3,394	122	905	80	207	668	347	290	366	24	385
Not in labor force	30,709,079	487,995	27,957	1,663	7,974	867	1,617	5,379	2,254	1,893	2,644	330	3,336
Female:	112,185,795	1,638,529	81,592	4,482	20,819	3,285	5,538	15,383	5,577	6,903	9,222	933	9,450
In labor force:	64,547,732	891,713	40,493	2,120	9,809	1,842	2,815	7,078	2,427	3,730	5,008	463	5,201
In Armed Forces	164,239	1,642	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7
Civilian:	64,383,493	890,071	40,486	2,120	9,809	1,842	2,815	7,078	2,427	3,730	5,008	463	5,194
Employed	60,630,069	838,668	37,356	1,929	8,906	1,722	2,597	6,614	2,122	3,581	4,737	431	4,717
Unemployed	3,753,424	51,403	3,130	191	903	120	218	464	305	149	271	32	477
Not in labor force	47,638,063	746,816	41,099	2,362	11,010	1,443	2,723	8,305	3,150	3,173	4,214	470	4,249

	United States	Kentucky	TENCO	Bath	Boyd	Bracken	Fleming	Greenup	Lewis	Mason	Montgomery	Robertson	Rowan
Total:													
In labor force:	63.9%	60.9%	56.1%	54.0%	53.0%	63.9%	59.6%	53.1%	50.8%	61.6%	61.1%	55.3%	58.3%
In Armed Forces	0.8%	1.0%	0.1%	0.4%	0.2%	0.0%	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.3%
Civilian:	99.2%	99.0%	99.9%	99.6%	99.8%	100.0%	99.9%	99.9%	99.9%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	99.7%
Employed	94.2%	94.3%	92.6%	93.3%	91.5%	95.1%	93.3%	92.7%	88.3%	94.6%	94.1%	94.3%	91.9%
Unemployed	5.8%	5.7%	7.4%	6.7%	8.5%	4.9%	6.7%	7.3%	11.7%	5.4%	5.9%	5.7%	8.1%
Not in labor force	36.1%	39.1%	43.9%	46.0%	47.0%	36.1%	40.4%	46.9%	49.2%	38.4%	38.9%	44.7%	41.7%
Male:													
In labor force:	70.7%	68.0%	63.0%	61.0%	59.2%	72.1%	68.9%	61.1%	58.3%	69.9%	68.5%	61.4%	61.8%
In Armed Forces	1.3%	1.7%	0.2%	0.8%	0.4%	0.0%	0.1%	0.2%	0.2%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.4%
Civilian:	98.7%	98.3%	99.8%	99.2%	99.6%	100.0%	99.9%	99.8%	99.8%	99.9%	100.0%	100.0%	99.6%
Employed	94.3%	94.3%	92.9%	95.3%	92.1%	96.4%	94.2%	92.1%	89.0%	93.4%	93.6%	95.4%	92.8%
Unemployed	5.7%	5.7%	7.1%	4.7%	7.9%	3.6%	5.8%	7.9%	11.0%	6.6%	6.4%	4.6%	7.2%
Not in labor force	29.3%	32.0%	37.0%	39.0%	40.8%	27.9%	31.1%	38.9%	41.7%	30.1%	31.5%	38.6%	38.2%
Female:													
In labor force:	57.5%	54.4%	49.6%	47.3%	47.1%	56.1%	50.8%	46.0%	43.5%	54.0%	54.3%	49.6%	55.0%
In Armed Forces	0.3%	0.2%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.1%
Civilian:	99.7%	99.8%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	99.9%
Employed	94.2%	94.2%	92.3%	91.0%	90.8%	93.5%	92.3%	93.4%	87.4%	96.0%	94.6%	93.1%	90.8%
Unemployed	5.8%	5.8%	7.7%	9.0%	9.2%	6.5%	7.7%	6.6%	12.6%	4.0%	5.4%	6.9%	9.2%
Not in labor force	42.5%	45.6%	50.4%	52.7%	52.9%	43.9%	49.2%	54.0%	56.5%	46.0%	45.7%	50.4%	45.0%

Source: Census 2000 (SF 3, P43)